

HEMMED IN BY SNOW DRIFTS

**FIFTYFIVE HUNDRED PASSENGERS
STALLED ON A CANADA ROAD.**

**Sir Charles and Lady Tupper Among Them
—Efforts to Get Food to Them and th**

1,500 Workmen Digging Their Out.
ST. JOHN, N. B., April 1.—A despatch from Moncton to-day contains news of the stalled trains on the northern division of the Intercolonial Railway. A break has been made from St. Flavien to Campbellton, and two blockades of trains between those points are working their way out through a tunnel of snow. Fully 1,500 passengers, including 700 immigrants, are halted on their route, and the railway authorities are straining every nerve to

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to clear the track of snow, five terraced rows of the cars, the family of the bank, and each line of men threw to the terrace above, and in many places snow drifts are piled up to the roof. The snow is a scour in the drifts passengers endured great hardships, although the railway authorities have done all that could be expected. It was fortunate for the women and small children that so many sleepers were allowed in the cars, and that the men were taking coal from cars on the sidings to supply them with fuel. The main line has been closed for some time, and the snow at enormous labor and expense, and very much better than had done. Every branch is blocked, even after the main line is cleared, and it will take more than a week to get the road in any kind of running order.

Cornell Doing as Well as Can be Expected

President Adams of Cornell University told the alumni after their dinner at Delmonico's last night that the school was doing as well as could be expected considering the late winter. He said that the school was losing 175 more than last year, and that is not twenty years old yet.

The president introduced as the illustrations of an illustrious father. He remarked that none of the children of the president had been admitted to the university.

The *Journalism* Chas. F. Vitch sent a letter suggesting that degrees in Journalism are likely to be conferred by colleges at no distant day.

Not Noblemen Make Good Waiters

A letter from Mr. Louis A. Fisher of Brooklyn, New York, to the Association of the Restaurant Waiters' Association at 104 Third avenue, advised the waiters of all good benefits of European countries and of the fact that they are not good waiters.

The association has many members, and supports an employment bureau that its members are required to use. The association has a large number of members. President Fred Harsh said that the association is not a labor union, but a great many waiters do not believe it.

The Joint Executive Board of the Journeymen Framers notified the boss framers a month ago that the workmen in this city would ask, on April 1, for \$3.50 for a day of nine hours, and those in Brooklyn and Jersey City for \$3.25 and \$3 respectively.

Many of the men reported at the headquarters of the Executive Board that their employers had unhesitatingly acceded to their request. The men will meet on Sunday and decide whether or not they will strike workmen in the jobs of such employers as refuse.

Strangers Following Const. Bonalde.
 Juan A. Perez Bonalde, Consul-General for an Salvador, who lives at 815 West Fourteenth street, and has an office at 38 Broadway, drove to Police Headquarters last night, and asked for protection. He said that strange men continually followed him, and that he feared them. He was advised to have them arrested, and was driven home again. Bonalde's friends say that he is not insane, but that his nerves have recently been overtaxed.

The Screw that Got Loose.
 Recorder Smyth said yesterday that he did not know why Charles H. Wood, who swindled Mrs. (Robert of New York) Harcourt, had been released.

The presentment of the Grand Jury for March rules the management of the Tombs, but finds fault with the prisoners' pens, and the ventilation in the special Sessions court room. The management of the House of Detention is condemned. The presentment also describes its condition as "filthy." The workhouse on Blackwell's Island the Grand Jury found to be over crowded.

Bank Manager Absconds with \$28,000.
DUMFRIES, April 1.—A. M. Stanton, manager of George K. Slaters' Sons' bank in this city, has absconded with between \$25,000 and \$28,000. Part of this sum was secured by the cashing of a check for \$10,000 on the New York branch of the bank, and the balance was secured by means of fictitious orders on the firm in New York.

An Anti-Vaccination Doctor Dies.
STERRY G. Clarke, a homoeopathic physician, 75 Court street, Brooklyn, died yesterday of small-pox. In the Flatbush Hospital, aged 77. He contracted the disease while attending a patient a few weeks ago who was strongly opposed to vaccination.

Hebeker Democratic Nominations.
Last Saturday Evening the Hebeker Democratic

Last night the Democrats of Hoboken nominated **Wm. Kerr, Ansonia Doland, and City Causar Benie.**

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, slight rise in temperature, westerly winds, becoming variable in the eastern portion.

JOINTS ABOUT TOWN.

W. A. Clarke, the Post Office clerk who stole a \$10.00 registered package, was held for trial yesterday in default of bail.

Frederick Secor of 22 Astor street, who stabbed his wife, Kate, on Feb. 1, got ten years for it yesterday in the

The Carmansville firemen would like to get hold of the actual guy who set off the fire box at 155th street and McComb's lane early yesterday and got them out of for nothing.

County Controller Lee yesterday appointed Wm. C. Towas as deputy collector at a salary of \$1,500. Mayor Hien appointed E. T. Taggard clerk in the Mayor's office at a salary of \$1,900.

John Williams and William Frelter of 70 East Houston street went back up at Jefferson Market yesterday for gambling at the big ready made clothing houses. They lose more than \$1,000 worth.

Detectives Carmick and McConnell raided the gambling house at 234 West Thirtieth street on Thursday night and arrested three who were fined \$10 each at Jefferson Market yesterday.

William G. Shalser, son-in-law of Gen. Shaler, has re-

and the \$1,500 clerkship in the Health Department which he was to begin Tuesday in place of the \$2,300 position which he had held for a year.

Lawyer Scott R. Sherrwood gave \$6,000 bond yesterday for the charge of swindling Mrs. Sarah Johnson, a client of his who was arrested, and it will take \$200,000 bond to get her out of jail. She was arrested yesterday for the \$15,000 kerosene lamp exploded in the basement of 293 1/2 Third street at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, and set fire to the building. Mrs. Albert Mausing was severely injured. In the scurry thieves stole a bank book and a watch.

William H. Bailey of the General Executive Board of the Knights of Labor came to town yesterday to use his influence in bringing about an agreement between the two sides of the committee of Assemblies 126 and 49 in Higgins's rope factory.

Martha Nachman of 108 East 105th street, an whose

ward Superintendent Keuyon of the Harlem Branch prison was sent to the Kinsler Reformatory, was found guilty of the murder of his wife at 152 East 122nd street. Mary Schutz, the proprietress, was held yesterday in the Harlem Court.

Edward T. Froelich, aged 30, and one of the oldest members of the Produce Exchange, was run over at 124th street and Seventh avenue, and killed by a horse-drawn sleigh, seventh avenue, when two road wagons drawn by speedy trotters came tearing along. One of the horses was killed and the driver will recover.

Father Lestrange, who shot and killed William Walker, pulled in a fight over the division of property between two men, pleaded guilty of manslaughter. When he was arraigned for sentence in the General Sessions yesterday, Judge Ladd said he would not ask the Grand Jury to consider the Lestrange had only just received a term of imprisonment in Kings county. The